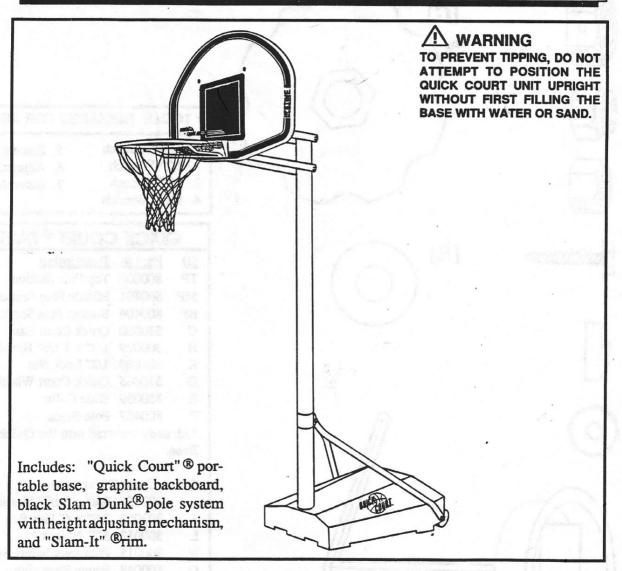


# QUICK COURT® BASKETBALL SYSTEM MODEL #1247

**MARNING** 

TO ENSURE YOUR SAFETY, DO NOT ATTEMPT TO ASSEMBLE THE QUICK COURT SYSTEM WITHOUT FOLLOWING THE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY. BEFORE BEGINNING ASSEMBLY, COMPLETELY READ THE INSTRUCTIONS, IDENTIFY AND INVENTORY THE PARTS USING THE PARTS LISTS ON PAGES 2, 3 & 5.

## ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS AND OWNER'S MANUAL

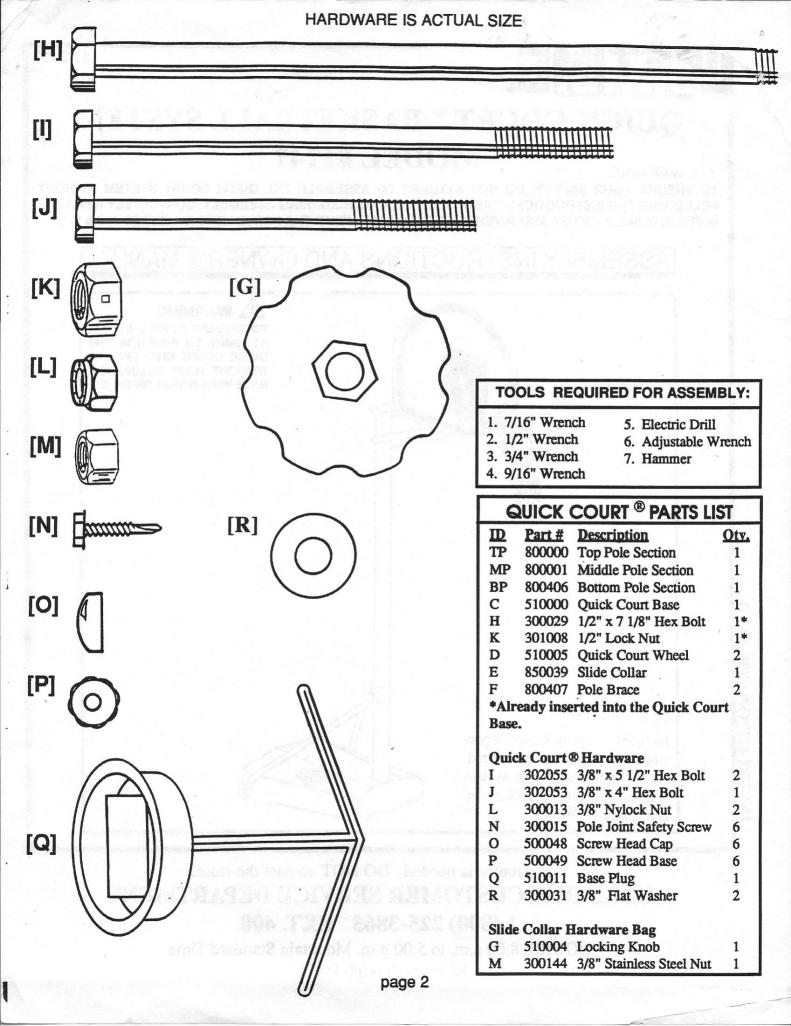


If assistance is needed, DO NOT contact the store!

## CALL OUR CUSTOMER SERVICE DEPARTMENT

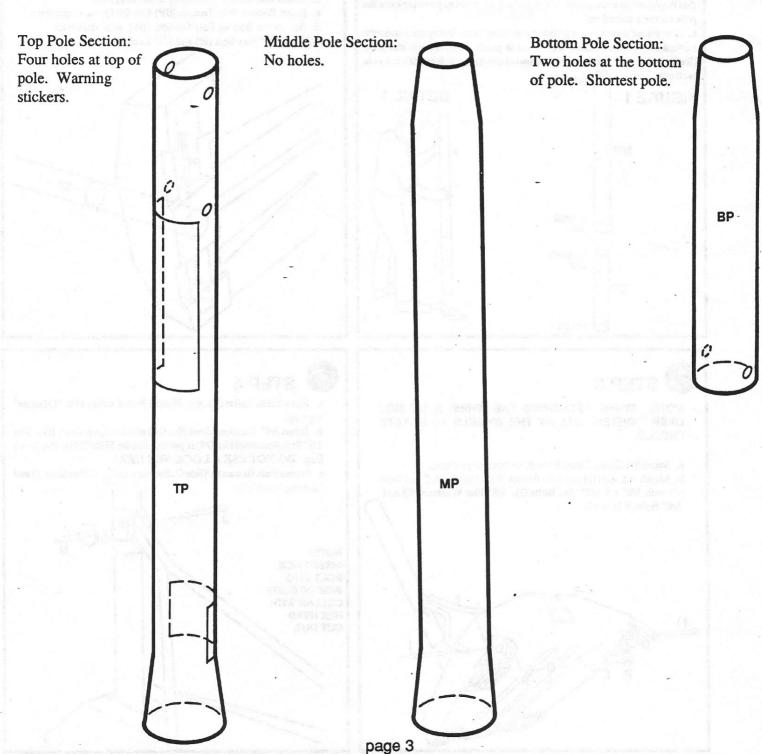
1 (800) 225-3865 EXT. 400

HOURS: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Mountain Standard Time Monday through Friday



## POLE SECTIONS

BE SURE TO CORRECTLY IDENTIFY THE POLE SECTIONS BEFORE BE-GINNING ASSEMBLY. FAILURE TO ASSEMBLE THE POLE SECTIONS CORRECTLY MAY RESULT IN SEVERE PERSONAL INJURY OR PROPERTY DAMAGE.

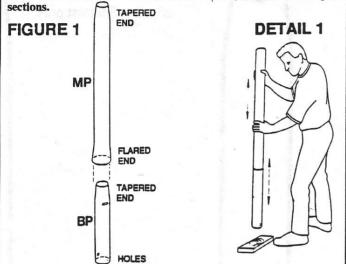


# BEFORE BEGINNING ASSEMBLY, INVENTORY AND IDENTIFY THE PARTS USING THE PARTS LIST ON PAGES 2, 3 & 5. BE SURE TO KEEP THE HARDWARE BAGS AND THEIR CONTENTS SEPARATE.



## STEP 1

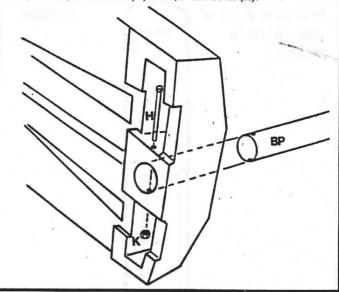
- a. Using a piece of tape, make a mark four inches from the top of the Bottom Pole Section. (BP)
- b. Slide the Middle Pole Section (MP) over the Bottom Pole Section so that they overlap to the mark. If the joints don't overlap you may have the pole sections mixed up.
- c. Seat the pole sections together by striking them firmly on a concrete surface six to seven times. Use wood to protect the concrete and pole. (Refer to Detail 1) Be extremely careful not hit your feet with the pole





#### STEP 2

- a. Lay Quick Court Base (C) onto its side.
- b. The 1/2" x 7 1/8" Hex Bolt (H) and the 1/2" Lock Nut (K) are already inserted through holes in the Quick Court Base. They must be unscrewed before proceeding to the next step.
- c. Insert Bottom Pole Section (BP) into the Ouick Court Base.
- d. Secure the Bottom Pole Section (BP) into place with 1/2" x 7 1/8" Hex Bolt (H) and 1/2" Lock Nut (K).



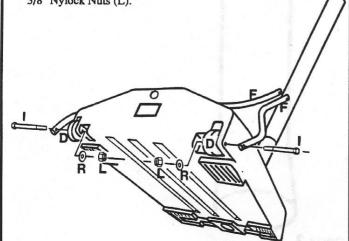


#### STEP 3

NOTE: WHEN ATTACHING THE WHEELS, DO NOT OVER TIGHTEN. ALLOW THE WHEELS TO ROTATE FREELY.

a. Stand the Quick Court Base to its upright position.

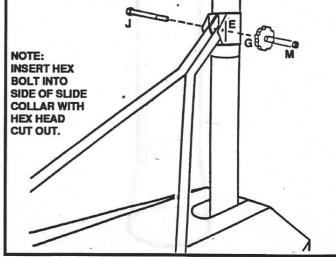
b. Attach Wheels (D) and Pole Braces (F) to the Quick Court Base (C) with 3/8" x 5 1/2" Hex Bolts (I), 3/8" Flat Washers (R) and 3/8" Nylock Nuts (L).

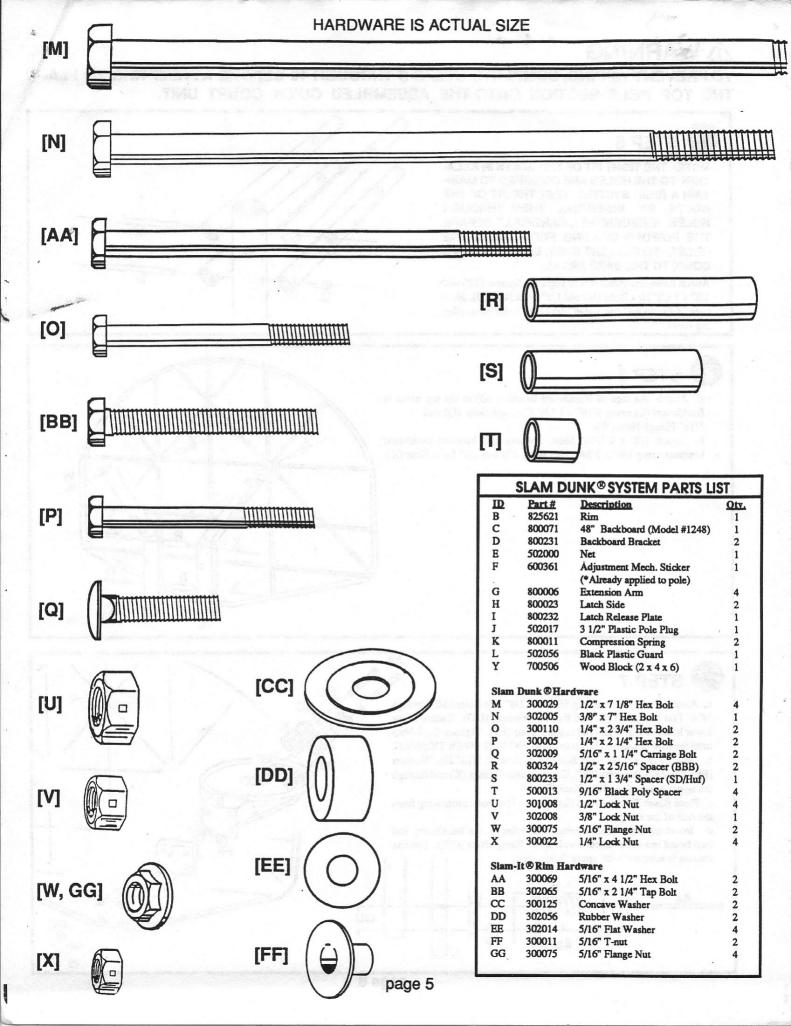




#### STEP 4

- a. Place Slide Collar (E) onto Middle Pole Section with "Lifetime" logo up.
- b. Insert 3/8" Stainless Steel Nut (M) into Locking Knob (G). The 3/8" Stainless Steel Nut (M) is provided in the Slide Collar Hardware Bag. DO NOT USE A LOCK NUT HERE.
- c. Secure Pole Braces to Slide Collar with 3/8" x 4" Hex Bolt (J) and Locking Knob (G).





## **⚠ WARNING**

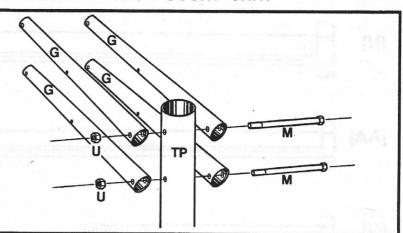
TO PREVENT TIPPING, COMPLETE STEPS 5 THROUGH 10 BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO PLACE THE TOP POLE SECTION ONTO THE ASSEMBLED QUICK COURT UNIT.



## STEP 5

NOTE: THE TIGHT FIT OF THE BOLTS IN RELA-TION TO THE HOLES ARE DESIGNED TO MAIN-TAIN A RIGID SYSTEM. TEST THE FIT OF THE BOLTS BY INSERTING THEM THROUGH HOLES. IF NECESSARY, CAREFULLY SCRAPE THE POWDER COATING FROM INSIDE THE HOLES. TO PREVENT RUST, DO NOT SCRAPE DOWN TO THE BARE METAL.

Attach Extension Arms (G) to Top Pole Section (TP) with 1/2" x 7 1/8" Hex Bolts (M) and 1/2" Lock Nuts (U). Make sure "Adjustment" portion of Warning Sticker faces playing court.

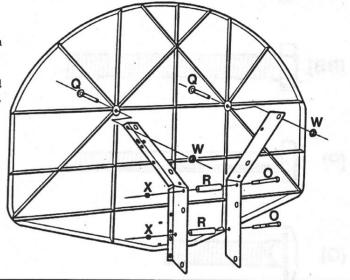




#### STEP 6

a. Attach the tops of Backboard Brackets (D) to the top holes in Backboard (C) using 5/16" x 1 1/4" Carriage Bolts (Q) and 5/16" Flange Nuts (W).

b. Attach 1/2" x 2 5/16" Metal Spacers (R) between backboard brackets using 1/4" x 2 3/4" Hex Bolts (O) and 1/4" Lock Nuts (X).





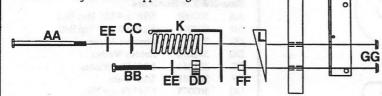
#### STEP 7

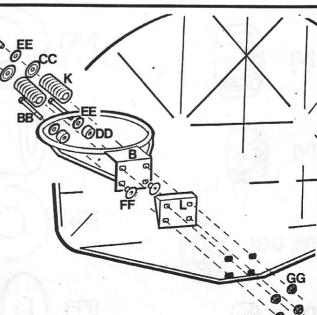
a. Attach the rim by inserting 5/16" x 2 1/4" Tap Bolts (BB) through 5/16" Flat Washers (EE) and Rubber Washers (DD). Secure in the lower holes of Rim Plate (B) using T-Nuts (FF). Tighten the T-Nuts until the rubber washers begin to bulge. DO NOT OVER TIGHTEN.

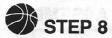
b. Insert 5/16" x 4 1/2" Hex Bolts (AA) through 5/16" Flat Washers (EE), Concave Washers (CC), Compression Springs (K) and through the upper holes of the Rim Plate (B).

c. Place Black Plastic Guard (L) over the four bolts protruding from the rear of the rim plate.

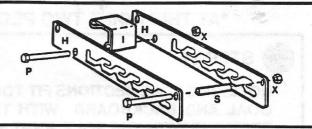
d. Insert the four bolts through the holes in the backboard and backboard brackets. Secure with 5/16" Flange Nuts (GG). The rim tension is adjusted with upper flange nuts.







Position Latch Sides (H) on the outside of Latch Release Plate (I) as shown. Fasten together with 1/4" x 2 1/4" Hex Bolt (P) and 1/4" Lock Nut (X). Insert 1/2" x 1 3/4 Metal Spacer (S) between latch sides and secure with 1/4" x 2 1/4" Hex Bolt (P) and 1/4" Lock Nut (X).

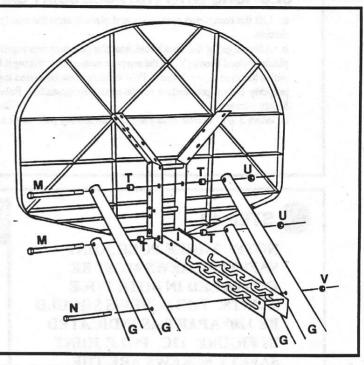




#### STEP 9

NOTE: WHEN ATTACHING BACKBOARD TO TOP POLE SECTION, MAKE SURE "ADJUSTMENT" PORTION OF WARNING STICKER ON TOP POLE SECTION FACES THE PLAYING COURT.

- a. Place upper Extension Arms (G) on the outsides of the upper holes in Backboard Brackets. (Backboard Brackets already attached to the backboard in Step 6.) Insert one Black Poly Spacer (T) on each side between the backboard brackets and the extension arms. Secure the arms with 1/2" x 7 1/8" Hex Bolt (M) and 1/2" Lock Nut (U).
- b. Place lower Extension Arms (G) on the outsides of the lower holes in Backboard Brackets. Insert one Black Poly Spacer (T) between the backboard brackets and the extension arms. Attach the adjustment mechanism (already assembled in Step 8) between the backboard brackets so that the Latch Release Plate (I) is closest to the backboard. Secure the arms and mechanism with 1/2" x 7 1/8" Hex Bolt (M) and 1/2" Lock Nut (U). Make sure the bolt has been inserted through the latch release plate and latch sides.
- c. Insert 3/8" x 7" Hex Bolt (N) through the center holes in the upper extension arms and through the slotted portion of the adjustment mechanism. Secure using 3/8" Lock Nut (V).





WARNING: COMPLETE STEP 10 BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO PLACE THE ASSEMBLED BACKBOARD ONTO THE QUICK COURT BASE.



#### STEP 10: ADDING WEIGHT TO THE BASE

NOTE: WHEN FILLING, MOVING OR PLAYING ON THE QUICK COURT ALWAYS MAKE SURE THE BASE IS ON A SMOOTH SURFACE THAT IS FREE OF STONES OR OTHER SHARP OBJECTS THAT MAY PUNCTURE THE BASE.

#### FILLING WITH SAND:

The Quick Court unit should be filled with sand if the unit is in a semi-permanent setting, if the unit is to be used indoors, if the unit is to be used for very competetive play, or if unit is exposed to subfreezing temperatures.

To fill the base with sand:

- a. Prop the base with the fill hole facing upward.
- b. Using a funnel, add clean, dry sand until full. The Quick Court must be filled with a minimum of 400 lbs. of sand.
- c. Insert Base Plug (Q) into the fill hole.

#### **OBSERVE CAUTIONS ON PAGES 9 & 10.**

When filled with sand, the base weighs approximately 500 lbs.

#### FILLING WITH WATER:

The Quick Court should only be filled with water if the unit will be moved frequently and the owner desires maximum portability.

To fill the base with water:

- a. Place the unit on a flat surface, with all four pads on the ground.
- b. Add cold water up to the fill hole, an empty space should be at the top of the base for water expansion during temperature changes.
- c. Add one tablespoon of chlorine bleach to the water to prevent algae from forming inside the tank.
- d. Insert Base Plug (Q) into the fill hole.

#### **OBSERVE CAUTIONS ON PAGES 9 & 10.**

When filled with water, the base weighs approximately 350 lbs.

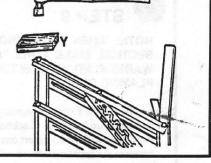
#### \*AT THIS POINT TWO PEOPLE ARE NECESSARY FOR ASSEMBLY\*



### STEP 11

NOTE: THE POLE SECTIONS FIT TOGETHER TIGHTLY. IT IS IMPORTANT TO ALIGN THE GOAL AND BACKBOARD WITH THE QUICK COURT BEFORE SECURING THE POLE SECTIONS WITH THE POLE JOINT SAFETY SCREWS. (STEP 12)

- a. Lift the completed system up and place it onto the middle pole section.
- b. After aligning the backboard, seat the pole sections together by placing Wood Block (Y) on the top pole section and striking it firmly with a hammer several times. Pole sections must be seated together properly before proceeding to the next step (installing Pole Joint Safety Screws).
- c. Insert 3 1/2" Plastic Pole Plug (J) into the top pole section.





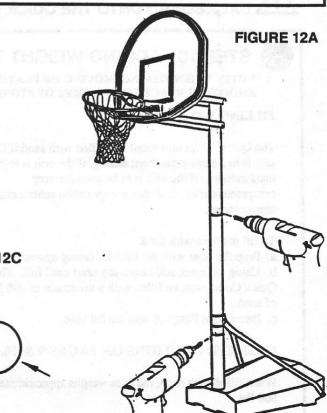
## STEP 12

NOTE: THREE POLE JOINT SAFETY SCREWS MUST BE INSTALLED IN BOTH POLE JOINTS. THE SCREWS SHOULD BE 120° APART AS INDICATED IN FIGURE 12C. POLE JOINT SAFETY SCREWS ARE THE SELF-DRILLING/SELF-TAPPING TYPE, IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO DRILL PILOT HOLES.

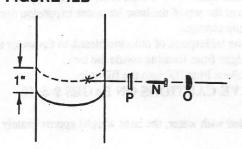
- a. Insert Pole Joint Safety Screw (N) into clear Screw Head Base (P). (Figure 12B)
- b. Clamp head of screw into chuck of electric drill.
- c. Drill screw into middle pole section one inch up from the bottom pole joint. (Figure 12B)
- d. Drill two more screws into the same pole joint in equal spaces (120° apart). (Figure 12C)
- e. Snap Screw Head Caps (O) over the heads of the screws.
- f. Repeat process using three screws for the upper joint.

## **WARNING!**

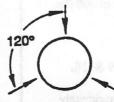
FAILURE TO INSTALL POLE JOINT SAFETY SCREWS MAY ALLOW THE POLE SECTIONS TO SEPARATE RE-SULTING IN SEVERE PERSONAL INJURY OR PROPERTY DAMAGE.



#### FIGURE 12B



#### FIGURE 12C



# OPERATION OF THE SLAM DUNK® SYSTEM

The SLAM DUNK® system may be adjusted from 7 feet to 10 feet in 6 inch increments.

#### TO RAISE THE GOAL:

- a. Place the end of a broomstick under the rim plate.
- **b.** Push up until the desired height is reached. The system will automatically lock into place.

#### TO LOWER THE GOAL:

- **a.** Place the end of a broomstick into the cup formed by the latch release plate.
- b. Push up to release the mechanism and slowly lower the goal.



In order to avoid serious lacerations, broken bones, or nerve damage, keep hands away from adjustment mechanism while raising or lowering goal and do not allow children to climb on or hang from pole unit. Hanging from goal may damage unit and will void product warranty.

When attempting "Slam-Dunk" type activities with this product, keep face away from goal and net. Serious dental injury can occur if player's teeth come in contact with the net during dunking maneuvers. All players must wear a mouth guard while performing dunking maneuvers.

OWNERS MUST ENSURE THAT ALL PLAYERS KNOW AND FOLLOW THESE RULES FOR SAFE OPERATION OF THIS UNIT.

## **OPERATION OF THE QUICK COURT® SYSTEM**

## MOVING THE QUICK COURT ® SYSTEM:

- a. Adjust the basketball system to its lowest position.
- b. Approach the system from the rear and loosen the locking knob.
- c. SLOWLY recline the pole while keeping hands clear of the slide collar to prevent pinching fingers. Support the pole at ALL times until it is completely reclined.
- d. Retighten the locking knob to secure the slide collar.
- e. Grasp the top of the pole and SLOWLY pull down until the unit is raised onto its wheels.

#### STANDING THE SYSTEM TO PLAYING POSITION:

- a. Approach the system from the rear and loosen the locking knob.
- b. Place one foot on the base and push up on the pole while keeping hands away from the slide collar.
- c. SECURELY TIGHTEN the locking knob.
- d. Check the water level before play

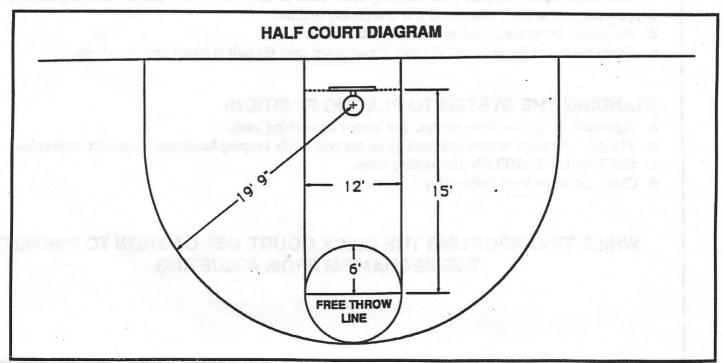
WHILE TRANSPORTING THE QUICK COURT, USE CAUTION TO PREVENT THE MECHANISM FROM ADJUSTING.

## CAUTION!

- 1. Never hang from the rim or climb the pole. This system is not designed for such use. Personal injury or property damage could result. Hanging from the rim will also void the warranty. Do not allow children to climb on the Quick Court base.
- 2. During windy conditions, do not use the unit. Store protected from the wind in the reclined position.
- 3. The Quick Court System must only be moved by someone who can safely handle the weight of the unit.
- 4. Never leave the unit standing in its upright position without first filling the base with water or sand.
- 5. Make sure locking knob on pole slide collar is securely tightened before play.
- 6. For more permanent installations, fill the base with sand.

## WHEN USING WATER IN THE QUICK COURT BASE TAKE THE FOLLOWING PRECAUTIONS:

- 1. Make sure the surface beneath the Quick Court base is smooth and free of stones, gravel or other sharp objects that could puncture the base and cause leakage.
- 2. Check the Quick Court base frequently for cracks or punctures. If the base develops a slow leak, water may run out unnoticed allowing system to fall over causing personal injury or property damage.
- 3. Do not leave the unit unattended in an upright position.
- 4. Always check the water level before play.
- 5. Do not allow water inside the Quick Court base to freeze, as cracking and damage to the base will occur and will void the warranty. During sub-freezing weather, empty the water out of the base and store the unit in the reclined position protected from the weather, or fill the unit with sand. If the unit is to be stored without weight, tilt unit back and rest the pole on the ground.
- 6. Every time the base is filled with water add one tablespoon of chlorine bleach to the water to prevent algae from forming inside the base.
- 7. Do not use salt or antifreeze in the Quick Court base due to disposal problems with salt brine or hazardous chemicals.



## **ACCESSORIES AVAILABLE FOR MORE BASKETBALL FUN!**

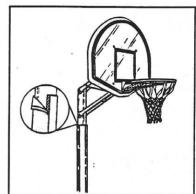
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SHOOT-N-SCORE™	0100	\$79.00	\$4.50	*Freight charges
Electronic Scoreboard  Slam-It® Basketball  (8 1/4" diameter)	0825	\$8.00	\$4.50	are subject to change without notice. Confirm total price when
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Full Size Basketball (9 1/2" diameter)	4200	\$9.50	\$4.50	orders.
Pole Pad	0672	\$15.50	\$4.50	

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Includes electronic scorekeeper and rim sensor to automatically keep score for six different games.



This heavy-duty foam pad is covered with tough vinyl. Protects players from impact with the pole.

## LIFETIME PRODUCTS, INC. LIMITED WARRANTY

- 1. Lifetime Products Inc. warrants to the original purchaser for a period of 1 year from the date of purchase, the equipment to be free from defects in material or workmanship on all working parts. The Quick Court Base is also warranted for a period of 1 year from date of purchase to be free from defects in material or workmanship. The word "defects", as used in this warranty, is defined as imperfections which impair the use of the product. This warranty does not cover damage caused by "Acts of Nature" such as weather, vandalism, deterioration, etc. The fiberglass backboards are to be free from cracking and/or breaking caused by weather for a period of 6 years. The backboard is not warranted against "Acts of Nature" as expressed above.
- 2. This warranty is expressly limited to the repair or replacement of defective basketball equipment. If the equipment is defective within the terms of the warranty, Lifetime Products Inc. will repair or replace defective parts at no cost. No assembly labor is included.
- 3. This warranty does not cover defects that result from normal wear, intentional damage, negligence or unreasonable use. Hanging from the net or goal will also void this warranty.
- 4. Liability for incidental or consequential damages is excluded to the extent permitted by law. While every attempt is made to embody the highest degree of safety in all equipment, we cannot guarantee freedom from injury. The user assumes all risk of injury due to use. All merchandise is sold on this condition and no representative of the company may waive or change this policy. This product is not intended for commercial or institutional use; Lifetime Products, Inc. does not assume any liability for such use.
- 5. Report product defects in writing to Lifetime Products Inc., P.O. Box 1525, Bldg. D-11 Freeport Center, Clearfield, Utah 84016. Please include your sales receipt or other proof of purchase.
- 6. You must have a receipt or other proof of purchase in order for this warranty to be valid.

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